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The James Lindsay home in Center Creek, built in 1899 and now owned by Albert Giles. Shown here is Agnes Lindsay with her grandchildren seated on the porch steps.

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He met and married Hazel Lindsay and since then has been a prosperous farmer. They bought the Lindsay farm in Center Creek where James and Agnes Lindsay had moved in 1879. Hazel has led an active life in Center Creek working in the Relief Society and as President of the No. 1 Camp of the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers.

Men who saved Center Creek Cemetery from complete destruction:

Otis Sweat and
Thomas Albert ("Ab") Giles



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